

What is claimed is:

1. A chucking mechanism of a center core in a disk cartridge to receive a drive spindle, the center core being fixed to the center of a disk, which serves as a recording medium and is 5 rotatably housed in a housing of the disk cartridge, which is of the type that is employed in a disk drive provided with the drive spindle,

wherein the center core is positioned on the drive spindle upon chucking in a state where the center core is in point contact 10 with the drive spindle at a minimum of three spots.

2. The chucking mechanism of a center core according to claim 1, wherein a minimum of three protrusions are provided on a bottom surface of the center core, and lower ends of the protrusions are in point contact with an upper surface of the 15 drive spindle.